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Patent application of:

Michael L. Clark

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For: *Rotor-Type Sprinkler with Reversing*  
*Mechanism Including Sliding*  
*Clutch and Driven Bevel Gears*

Confirmation No.: 2415

Group Art Unit: 3752

Examiner: Christopher S. Kim

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.17(a)**

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Respectfully submitted,

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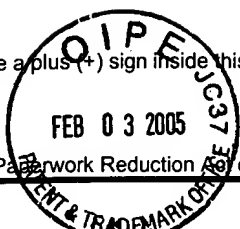
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